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ELECTRONIC CONTROL SYSTEM FOR TORQUE

DISTRIBUTION IN HYBRID VEHICLES

Sir:

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Attached is Form PTO-1449 listing several references for consideration in the examination of the above-identified application. A copy of each reference is also enclosed. It is requested that these references be considered by the Examiner and officially made of record in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97 and Section 609 of the MPEP.

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